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Simon Charles GILLIGAN

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For: FIBRE-OPTIC CONNECTOR

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:


Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter
- (2) PTO Form-1082
- (3) 13 page Application consisting of:
  - 7 pages Textual Specification
  - 2 pages of 11 claims
  - 1 page containing the Abstract of the Disclosure
  - 3 sheets drawings;
- (4) Preliminary Amendment with Attachments A and B;
- (5) Unexecuted Declaration/Power of Attorney;
- (6) Postcard for early notification of serial number.

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**FORM PTO-1082**

**TRANSMITTAL FOR NEW U.S. PATENT APPLICATION**

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Re: New U.S. Patent Application  
For: **FIBRE-OPTIC CONNECTOR**  
Inventor(s): Simon Charles Gilligan  
Attorney Docket: 82377

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Attached hereto is the application identified above, including:

- 13 Pages Application Consisting of:
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  - 1 Abstract of the Disclosure
  - 3 Sheets of drawings
- Executed Inventor's Declaration
- X Unexecuted Inventor's Declaration
- Assignment and cover sheet
- X Preliminary Amendment

The Government filing fee\* is calculated as follows:

Total Claims . . . . .	<u>11</u> - 20 = <u>0</u>	x \$18.00 = <u>\$ 0.00</u>
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Small Entity Status is asserted by the applicant as allowed under 37 CFR § 1.27.

X Foreign priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 from Britain Patent Application(s) No. 0203108.6 dated 8 February 2002.

X Priority document(s) will be submitted at a later date.

     Priority document(s) is/are submitted herewith.

X Executed Declaration(s) will be submitted at a later date pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.41 and § 1.53, with an appropriate surcharge under 37 CFR § 1.16(e).

X Formal drawing(s) is/are attached.

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